

# COMMUNITY ACTIVITY SET ASIDE (CASA) PROGRAM

#### REAPPLICATION

Note: This reapplication is for CASA initiatives that are not changing any target markets. If the CASA initiative is changing a target market, complete the regular CASA application.

## **PART 1: Administrative Information**

Complete questions 1-3 below.

- 1. Name of initiative:
- 2. Date:
- 3. Partnership information:
  - a. Are you adding any new community or lender partners to your initiative?
    - If yes, provide the institution's legal name, address, contact person, email, phone and fax number.
    - For new lender partners, provide:
      - The Minnesota Housing Lender ID number.
      - Where and to whom should Minnesota Housing send the lender contract for signature?
      - Confirm the consumer contact information on the CASA matrix and add any new contact information that should be included in the matrix.
- 4. Estimate the number of loans and dollar amount of production you plan to originate under the initiative.
- *Tip* → *Production estimate should be based on the first-mortgage amount only.*
- 5. Indicate if the initiative is 12 months or 24 months (24 months is for new construction developments only).

### **PART 2: Application**

*Complete questions 1-10 below.* 

#### **Initiative Target**

- 1. Which targets did your initiative focus on last year? Emerging markets, Single-Headed Households or Workforce Housing? (Note: some applications may focus on multiple targets.)
- 2. Will your initiative make any changes to the target(s): Emerging Markets, Single-Headed Households or Workforce Housing? If so, complete the regular CASA application form.

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#### **Initiative Goals**

- 1. Describe CASA initiative production for the past year for each of the goals targeted by your initiative.
  - How many loans supported the targets identified in your application (emerging markets, single-headed households, workforce housing)? Provide the total number of loans for each category.
  - For all initiatives, indicate how many loans supported emerging market borrowers.
- 2. If you did not reach your CASA goals, explain strategies you will employ next year to reach future goals.
- 3. Describe future goals (use the same indicators as noted above).

# **Effective Marketing Strategies**

- 1. Discuss the most effective marketing strategies that helped the initiative reach the target market(s).
- 2. Discuss least effective marketing strategies.
- 3. Describe any marketing enhancements you plan to make to better reach the target market(s).

# **Partnership Activity**

- 1. How did the CASA partnership (community and lender partners) help the initiative meet its target market goals?
- 2. What changes, or enhancements, have been made to the partnership network (if any)? How will the resulting partnership assist the CASA initiative in meeting its goals?

*Tip*  $\rightarrow$  *Focus on the roles of your partners involved in the initiative and the strengths and contributions they bring to the partnership.* 

#### **Supplemental Information**

Describe any changes, or other pertinent information, related to the CASA initiative. Document any changes to the following criteria if applicable:

- Income/house price limits
- Leverage
- Homebuyer support
- New innovations

*Tip* → *An innovation could be something unique to your marketing plan, product offering, homebuyer support system or your overall partnership effort.* 

#### **PART 3: Certification and Signature**

Please type the following certification on the Application: "The undersigned hereby certifies that the information contained herein is true and correct." **Provide authorized signatures from all application partners.** 

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